

# HERACLES and DJANGO6: Updates for version 4.6.8 - 4.6.10

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## **Abstract**

Modifications introduced into DJANGO6-4.6.8 to allow calculations for nuclear targets and for version 4.6.10: nucleon polarization.

## 1 File lhaglu-copy.f

- Parton distribution functions from LHAPDF required a modification in `lhaglu.f`. The modified version, `lhaglu-copy.f` is part of the DJANGO source code now.
  - Removed reference to common block `/ludat1/` because of type mismatch with JETSET 7.4; removed the corresponding assignment to unused `mstu5(11)`.
  - To allow use of nuclear corrections from [3, 4, 5] via calls to `structm` from PYTHIA, `structm` in `lhaglu-copy.f` has been renamed to `structf` and `structa` into `structm`. The argument list of `structa` is shortened: the nuclear number `a` is transferred via the common block `/HSNUCL/` from DJANGO.

## 2 File djangoh\_h.f:

- To allow linkage to the LHAPDF library [1], initialization of the path to the PDFsets folder has been introduced in subroutine `HSWPDF` and the path name has to be provided in the input file with code word `LHAPATH`:

`LHAPATH`: Path name to the PDFsets folder of LHAPDF, character\*80, no default defined.

The code was tested with LHAPDF version 5.8.6.

- The new code word `NUCL-MOD` with input `INUMOD` (integer, default = 0) has been introduced to select a model for nuclear shadowing or nuclear parton distribution functions.  
The variable `INUMOD` extends the common block `/HSNUCL/`.

`INUMOD = 0`: No correction. Parton distribution functions are used as selected by `ILQMOD`, `ILIB`, `ICODE` from code word `STRUCTFUNC`.  
This is the appropriate setting if nuclear parton distribution functions like those from [2] are used which incorporate nuclear effects.

`INUMOD = 1000`: Structure functions are calculated from the isoscalar average of unmodified parton distribution functions and a  $Q^2$ -independent correction factor. The same correction factor is applied to both  $F_2$  and  $F_L$ .

`INUMOD = 2000`: Apply correction factors to free parton distribution functions from EKS98 [3].

`INUMOD = 3000`: Apply correction factors to free parton distribution functions from EPS08 [4].

INUMOD > 4000: Apply correction factors to free parton distribution functions from EPS09 [5].

LO or NLO fits (`iorder` = 1 or 2) and the error set `ipset` = 1, ..., 23, are selected according to `INUMOD = 100×iorder + ipset`.

The EPS09 analysis is based on CTEQ6.1M partons, but any PDF set can be combined with the nuclear corrections in this scheme.

Code in subroutines `HSSTRF` and `HSSTR1` has been reorganized to allow for this option.

- Since version 4.6.10, the proton can be polarized [6]. The prescription for the calculation of the cross section is based on the parton model and distribution functions for polarized partons are used (see section 4, File `polpdf.f`). The following new input options are available:

**HPOLAR:** The degree of the proton polarization. Input is expected as a second `double real` in one line after the proton energy, i.e. with the code word `PR-BEAM`. If not between  $-1$  and  $+1$ , `HPOLAR` is set to zero. This variable extends the common block `HSPARM`.

**POLPDF:** The new code word to read input for the selection of a parametrisation of polarized PDFs. Input for the integer variable `IDPVR` (on common block `HSSTRP`) is expected, where

`IDPVR = 100×ISET+MODE`

with the following meaning:

`ISET` = 1: DSSV [7];

`ISET` = 2: DNS [8];

`ISET` = 3: DS [9];

`ISET` = 4: GSLO [10];

`ISET` = 5: GSNLO [10];

`ISET` = 6: BB [11];

`ISET` = 7: AAC [12];

`ISET` = 8: LSS [13];

`ISET` = 9: GRSV [14];

The new subroutine `HSDPVR` provides an interface to the necessary code which is collected in file `polpdf.f` (see below). A separate routine (`HSCPVR`) is called after integration and after sampling to print out the number of counts for which  $x$  and  $Q^2$  were outside the range of validity of the parametrisation for polarized PDFs.

- The new code word `OUTFILENAM` allows to give a name for output files. The input is of type `character*80` and has to start with a non-blank character. The output files are

- `OUTFILENAM_out.dat` is used for standard output. Redirection to the file starts after code word `START` appears in the input file;
- `OUTFILENAM_smp.dat` is used for sampling information needed for iterated calls;
- `OUTFILENAM_rnd.dat` takes information about the state of the random number generator;
- `OUTFILENAM_his.paw` is for histograms generated in the user routine contained in `djangoh_u.f`.

If no input to code word `OUTFILENAM` is given, standard output continues to appear at the console and the default name `djangoh-default-output` is used for the other output files.

Note that logical unit numbers 6, 8, 9, and 31 are used in the program (changed since version 4.6.10 to avoid a conflict with routines for polarized PDFs).

- If a negative value for input variable `ISDINP` (with code word `RNDM-SEEDS`) is given, the Cernlib random number generator `ranlux` is used with date and time as seed.
- A number of modifications was introduced to comply with gnu-fortran standards. The argument list of the subroutines `DX1FCF` and `D01AJF` was shortened and includes now used variables only

### 3 File `djangoh_l.f`:

- The target nucleon, proton or neutron, is chosen event by event according to its cross sections and using input from `HNA` and `HNZ`.

### 4 File `polpdf.f`:

- A collection of third-party code for polarized parton distribution functions. The most recent one (DSSV, [7]) is based on the most complete set of data and on theoretical calculations performed fully at next-to-leading order. The other programs were obtained from <http://hepdata.cedar.ac.uk/pdfs>. The necessary grid-files are searched in a sub-directory called `polpdf-gridfiles`.

### 5 File `gmc_random.f`:

- Random number generator `ranlux` from Cernlib. The function `PYR` has been replaced by an interface to `ranlux`.

## 6 File `djangoh_u.f`:

- Filling of histograms is done with `HFILL` after a preceding call to `HBARX`. The present version in more accurate statistics with large event numbers. Output is written to file `OUTFILENAM_evt.dat`.

## 7 Usage

- Input to code word `NUCLEUS` is `EPRO`, the energy per nucleon, and `HNA` (nucleon number) and `HNZ` (proton number).
- Parton distribution functions are used from LHAPDF [1] if `ILQMOD=0` and `ILIB=2`. Important values for the PDF set are

`ICODE = 10150`: CTEQ61M. Note that this set was used as a reference in the EKS and EPS fits of nuclear correction factors to the PDFs.

`ICODE = 10550`: CTEQ66.

`ICODE = 29061`: MRST98dis.

`ICODE = 100151`: HKNNlo for proton; in general: `100150+n` with  $n = 2$  (deuteron),  $n = 3$  (Helium),  $n = 6$  (C),  $n = 17$  (Au),  $n = 18$  (Pb), etc.

- For version 4.6.10, a test run was performed with input file `erhic-nc-test.in` and `erhic-cc-test.in`. The corresponding output files are named as described above with `OUTFILENAM = erhic-nc-test` and `OUTFILENAM = erhic-cc-test`. Generation of 1,000,000 events (including  $F_L$  and fully fragmented) took about 14 minutes on `eic0001.rcf.bnl.gov` ( $7.5 \times 10^{-4}$  sec per event plus initialization).

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